

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): ACTIVATED CARBON FOR ELECTRIC DOUBLE-LAYER CAPACITOR

By (Inventors): Morinobu ENDOH; Minoru NOGUCHI; Naohiko OKI; Shigeki OYAMA

- ☒ twelve (12) pages of Specification/Claims 1-5/Abstract are attached.  
☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-6; three (3) sheets are attached.  
☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.  
☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.  
☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ reference(s).  
☐ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.  
☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.  
☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_ --  
☒ Priority of foreign application No. 11-373047 filed December 28, 1999 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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TOTAL CLAIMS	5 - 20	= 0
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SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY		
RATE	FEE	OR	RATE	FEE	
	\$ 355	OR		\$ 710	
x 9 =	\$	OR	x 18	\$ 0	
x 40 =	\$	OR	x 80	\$ 0	
+135 =	\$	OR	+270	\$ 0	
TOTAL	\$	OR	TOTAL	\$ 710	

- ☐ A check for the filing fee is not enclosed at this time.  
☒ A check in the amount of \$710.00 is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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